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FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 7395

INFO AMCONSUL LENINGRAD BY POUCH

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SUBJ: AEROFLOT INAUGURAL FLIGHT WASHINGTON/MOSCOW

REF: A. STATE 56517

B. MOSCOW 4135

1. GUEST LIST FOR AEROFLOT WASHINGTON/MOSCOW APRIL 5  
INAUGURAL FLIGHT HANDED TO EMBOFF MARCH 29 DURING MEETING  
AT MINCIVIL AVIATION. LIST CONSISTS OF 33 CONFIRMED AND 4  
UNCONFIRMED GUESTS, OF WHOM PRINCIPALS ARE:

SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION AND MRS. BRINEGAR

CONGRESSMAN AND MRS. FRELINGHUYSEN (N.J.)

CONGRESSMAN AND MRS. JARMAN (OKLA.)

MAYOR AND MRS. WALTER WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND MRS. JOHN NEVIUS

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ASTRONAUTS KERWIN, CONRAD, AND WEITZ, WITH SPOUSES (IN

VIEW REF A, WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING WHO WILL REPLACE  
CONRAD ON FLIGHT)

REST OF LIST COMPRISED OF REPRESENTATIVES OF CAB, FAA, DOT,  
PAN AM, EASTERN AIRLINES, PLUS COUPLE OF CORRESPONDENTS  
(INCLUDING TIM WHEELER OF "DAILY WORLD").

2. TENTATIVE PROGRAM IN USSR IS AS FOLLOWS (TRAVEL TO BE IN  
MINISTER BUGAYEV'S SPECIAL TU-134:

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

1545 ARRIVE MOSCOW/SHEREMETYEVO  
1545-1700 PRESS CONFERENCE AND COCKTAIL PARTY AT AIRPORT  
1715 DEPART FOR KIEV

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

SIGHTSEEING IN KIEV

MONDAY, APRIL 8

SIGHTSEEING IN KIEV

1300-1500 RECEPTION HOSTED BY UKRAINIAN CIVIL AVIATION  
ADMINISTRATION

1900 DEPARTURE FOR LENINGRAD  
2100 ARRIVAL IN LENINGRAD

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

MORNING SIGHTSEEING IN LENINGRAD

1300-1500 RECEPTION AT AIRPORT RESTAURANT HOSTED BY  
LENINGRAD CIVIL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION  
AFTERNOON SIGHTSEEING  
EVENING THEATER

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10  
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MORNING VISIT TO HERMITAGE AND TREASURY  
1445-1530 TRANSFER TO AIRPORT; SHORT COCKTAIL RECEPTION  
AT AIRPORT  
1530 DEPARTURE FOR MOSCOW  
1645 ARRIVAL AT SHEREMETYEVO AIRPORT  
1645-1800 TRANSFER TO "INTOURIST" HOTEL  
1900-2200 BALLET "SWAN LAKE" AT KREMLIN PALACE OF CONGRESSES

2200-2300 DINNER

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

MORNING VISIT TO KREMLIN AND ARMORY

1300-1500 RECEPTION HOSTED BY USSR MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION

AFTERNOON SIGHTSEEING

EVENING CIRCUS

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

0930 TRANSFER TO SHEREMETYEVO AIRPORT

1015-1045 FAREWELL COCKTAIL PARTY AT AIRPORT

1100 DEPARTURE FOR WASHINGTON VIA SU-317

3. AMBASSADOR WOULD BE PLEASED TO OFFER RECEPTION AT SPASO HOUSE FOR MEMBERS OF GROUP. WHILE MOSCOW SCHEDULE IS FULL, ONE POSSIBILITY WOULD BE PERIOD JUST BEFORE CIRCUS ON APRIL 11, AND WE ARE TENTATIVELY SUGGESTING THIS TO SOVIETS. WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S APPROACHING SECRETARY BRINEGAR FOR HIS VIEWS.

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